GOVERNEMNT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

PUBLIC SERVANTS - Revenue Department - Allegation of Corruption against Sri Yadla Vykuntam, formerly V.R.O., Kotapalem Village, Ranastalam Mandal, Srikakulam District - Trapped on 09.03.2009 - Prosecution Sanctioned - Charge-sheet filed before the Hon'ble A.C.B. Court, Visakhapatnam - Convicted in C.C.No.08/2010 - Punishment of **Dismissal from service** - Imposed - Orders - Issued.

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REVENUE (VIGILANCE.VII) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 202

<u>Dated:29.04.2013</u> Read the following:-

- 1. From the DG, ACB, Letter Rc.No.59/RCT-VSK/2009,dt.18.09.2009.
- 2. G.O.Ms.No.94, Revenue (Vig.VII) Department, dt.01.02.2010.
- 3. Judgment Dt.15.03.2013 delivered by the Hon'ble Court of the Spl.Judge for ACB cases, Visakhapatnam in C.C.No.08/2010.
- 4. From the DG, ACB, Letter Rc.No.59/RCT-VSK/2009-S12, dt.19.03.2013.

ORDER:-

Whereas, it was brought to the notice of the Government that Sri Yadla Vykuntam, Village Revenue Officer, Kotapalem Village, Ranastalam Mandal, Srikakulam District was trapped by the Anti Corruption Bureau, authorities on 09.03.2009 when he demanded and accepted a bribe of Rs.3,000/- from the complainant Sri Surya Kiran, for showing official favour for issue of Adangal possession certificate. After completion of investigation, the Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau has furnished final report duly recommending to prosecute the Accused Officer ie., Sri Yadla Vykuntam, formerly Village Revenue Officer, Kotapalem Village, Ranastalam Mandal, Srikakulam District in a court of law through the reference 1st read above.

- 2. In the reference 2nd read above, sanction was accorded to prosecute the Accused Officer i.e., Sri Yadla Vykuntam, formerly Village Revenue Officer, Kotapalem Village, Ranastalam Mandal, Srikakulam District in a court of law.
- 3. The Hon'ble Special Judge for SPE & ACB Cases, Vishakapatnam vide reference 3rd read above, pronounced judgment that the Accused Officer ie., Sri Yadla Vykuntam, formerly Village Revenue Officer, Kotapalem Village, Ranastalam Mandal, Srikakulam District has **found guilty** and **convicted** under section 248(2) Cr.P.C. and **sentenced him** to undergo rigorous imprisonment for a period of 2 (Two) years and to pay a fine of Rs.2,500/- (Rupees Two thousand five hundred only) and in default to pay the fine amount, he has to undergo simple imprisonment for a period of 6 (six) months for the offences under senction-7 of the Prevention of Corruption Act 1988. Further, the Accused Officer is also sentenced to undergo rigorous imprisonment for a period of 2 (two) years and he is also sentenced to pay a fine of Rs.2,500/- (Rupees Two thousand five hundred only) and in default to pay fine amount he has to undergo simple imprisonment for a period of 6(six) months for the offence under section 13(1)(d) read-with section 13(2) of the Prevention Corruption Act, 1988. Both the sentences of imprisonment imposed on the Accused Officer, shall run concurrently.
- 4. In the letter 4th read above, the Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau while narrating the judgment, requested the Government to issue orders for the **dismissal** of the Accused Officer i.e., Sri Yadla Vykuntam, formerly Village Revenue Officer, Kotapalem Village, Ranastalam Mandal, Srikakulam District from **Government service** as the Accused Officer was **convicted** in the Hon'ble Court of Special Judge for Anti Corruption Bureau Cases, Visakhapatnam in C.C.No.08/2010.
- **5.** And whereas, it is considered that the conduct of Sri Yadla Vykuntam, formerly Village Revenue Officer, Kotapalem Village, Ranastalam Mandal, Srikakulam District which has led to his conviction on criminal charge, is such as to render his further retention in the public service undesirable.

- **6.** And whereas, the Government after careful consideration of the facts and circumstances of the case, have decided that the penalty of **Dismissal** from **Government service** shall be imposed on the Accused Officer, i.e., Sri Yadla Vykuntam, formerly Village Revenue Officer, Kotapalem Village, Ranastalam Mandal, Srikakulam District.
- 7. Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred under clause (x) of rule 9 read with sub-rule (i) of rule 25 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991 and read with G.O.Ms.No.2, General Administration (Services.C) Department, dt.04.01.1999, Government hereby **Dismiss** Sri Yadla Vykuntam, formerly Village Revenue Officer, Kotapalem Village, Ranastalam Mandal, Srikakulam District from **Government service** with immediate effect.
- **8.** The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad/The District Collector, Srikakulam shall take necessary further action in the matter accordingly.
- 9. The following Notification shall be published in the extraordinary issue of the Andhra Pradesh Gazette.

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred under clause (x) of rule 9 read with subrule 25 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 and read with G.O.Ms.No.2, General Administration (Services-C) Department, dated:04-01-1999, the Government of Andhra Pradesh hereby **Dismiss** Sri Yadla Vykuntam, formerly Village Revenue Officer, Kotapalem Village, Ranastalam Mandal, Srikakulam District from **Government Service** with immediate effect.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

M.G.GOPAL PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

То

Sri Yadla Vykuntam, formerly V.R.O., Kotapalem Village, Ranastalam Mandal, Srikakulam District <u>through</u> District Collector, **Srikakulam** The Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, AP, Hyd.

The District Collector, Srikakulam.

Copy to:-

The Accountant General, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.

The Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau, A.P. Hyderabad.

The Secretary to Vigilance Commissioner,

A.P. Vigilance Commission, Hyderabad.

The Commissioner of Printing, Stationery & Stores Purchase, Chanchalguda, Hyderabad (With a request to publish the Notification in the Extra-ordinary

Gazette and furnish 25 copies of the same to Government)

The Pay & Accounts Officer, Hyderabad.

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//FORWARDED :: BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER